

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO
Agreement Between County of San Luis Obispo and
Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center,
as a Trauma Center**

This FIRST AMENDMENT is entered into between the County of San Luis Obispo, a public entity and legal subdivision in the State of California (hereafter referred to as "County"), and Sierra Vista Hospital, Inc., a California Corporation, doing business as Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center (hereafter referred to as "Hospital").

WHEREAS, on February 7, 2012, the County and Hospital executed an Agreement for trauma center designation (hereinafter "Agreement") in which Hospital accepted designation by County as an adult Level III Trauma Center; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expires on June 30, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement may be renewed by mutual written agreement subject to the Hospital obtaining a formal Level III Trauma Center consultative review from the American College of Surgeons prior to July 1, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital is unable to procure the necessary consultative review prior to the expiration of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to maintain the contractual relationship with the Hospital to ensure compliance with the terms of the Level III Trauma Center designation; and

WHEREAS, the County and Hospital wish to extend the term of the Agreement through October 31, 2013, to allow Hospital additional time to procure the consultative review;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

1. EXHIBIT C, paragraph 2, of the Agreement is hereby deleted and replaced with the following language:

Unless terminated earlier pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement, the term of this Agreement shall be from its effective date until October 31, 2013.

2. EXHIBIT C, paragraph 3, of the Agreement is hereby deleted and replaced with the following language:

Except as otherwise provided below this Agreement may be renewed by mutual written agreement of both parties subject to the same agreement provisions. Prior to the first renewal term, which shall commence November 1, 2013, the Hospital shall procure a formal Level III Trauma Center consultative review from the American College of Surgeons. The first renewal term will be effective through June 30, 2015. Prior to the second renewal term commencing July 1, 2015, Hospital is required to attain Level III Trauma Center verification from American College of Surgeons. The second renewal term

will be effective through June 30, 2017. Further, renewal terms are subject to Hospital's implementing, maintaining, and operating a heliport at the Hospital facility.

3. All other terms and conditions of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their duly authorized representatives to execute this First Amendment to Trauma Center Agreement.

Executed as of the date set forth herein.

HOSPITAL:

Sierra Vista Hospital, Inc., doing business as Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center

Tax ID: Held in confidential file

By: Candace L. Marywith

3/1/13
Date

Printed Name: CANDACE L. MARYWITH

Title: Chief Executive Officer, Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center

By: Rollie Pirkle

3/1/13
Date

Printed Name: ROLLIE PIRKLE

Title: Chief Financial Officer, Sierra Vista Regional Medical Center

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL EFFECT:

Rita L. Neal
County Counsel

By: Sam H. Neal
Deputy County Counsel

2/27/13
Date

COUNTY:

County of San Luis Obispo
A Public Entity in the State of California

By: _____
Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors

Date

ATTEST:

By: _____
Julie Rodewald, County Clerk and Ex-Officio
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors